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In re application of:

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For: THERAPEUTIC AGENTS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

March 5, 2002

Sir:

Please amend the above application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

25. (amended) A stable pharmaceutical composition comprising a mixture of

- (i) an ibuprofen medicament;
- (ii) a domperidone medicament; and
- (iii) a carrier material

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characterised in that the carrier material is substantially free of povidone and comprises at least one diluent combined with at least one disintegrating agent, excluding

- (a) a compressed tablet comprising granulated ibuprofen and a carrier - material consisting essentially of either maize starch at 35-38% total tablet weight in combination with dried maize starch at 3-4% total tablet weight or microcrystalline cellulose at 10-11% total tablet weight in combination with